

Division of Social Science

Public Policy and Public Affairs Minor

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This minor offers an interdisciplinary approach to studying health, education, environmental, urban, and other public policy areas, with an emphasis on acquiring the analytical tools required for policy development and decision-making.

All students wishing to minor in public policy and affairs must consult with the program director (see above).

Public Policy and Public Affairs Minor Requirements and Checklist

Name _____
Major _____

Date _____
Date of grad. _____

To complete a minor in Public Policy, a student must take a total of 15 credits allocated as follows:*

I. An introduction to public policy, in Sociology, Political Science, or some other discipline (such as health science, the arts, etc.) (3)

SOC 31211 Public Policy Interns Seminar Term Passed _____
PSC 12500 Intro to Public Policy Term Passed _____
PSC 22800 Policy Analysis Term Passed _____

II. PSC 101 US Politics & Governance (3) Term Passed _____

III. One of the following (3):

Sociology

SOC 24800 Deviant Behavior Term Passed _____
SOC 31304 Soc Health & Illness Term Passed _____
SOC 27400 Urban Politics and Policy Term Passed _____
SOC 25100 Urban Sociology Term Passed _____
SOC 31408 Workplace Issues Term Passed _____
SOC 25400 Social Problems Term Passed _____
SOC 31705 Drugs & Soc Control Term Passed _____
SOC 29000 Immigration Term Passed _____
SOC 32014 Soc of Work Term Passed _____

Political Science

PSC 21000 Urban Politics Term Passed _____
PSC 21600 Polit. Parties & Interest Groups Term Passed _____
PSC 21700 Mass Media & Politics Term Passed _____
PSC 22300 US Foreign Policy Term Passed _____
PSC 21002 Politics & Leadership Term Passed _____
PSC 22100 The Congress Term Passed _____

PSC 31507 Politics & Immigration	Term Passed_____
History	
HIST 327 The U.S. Since 1945	Term Passed_____
HIST 441 History of American Labor	Term Passed_____
International Studies	
INTL 201 Global Perspectives	Term Passed_____

IV. One of the following: (3)

ECON 10350 Principles of Macroeconomics	Term Passed_____
ECON 10250 Principles of Microeconomics	Term Passed_____
ECON 19150 Honors Principles	Term Passed_____

IV. One of the following: Research Methods/Statistics (3)

SOC 231 Soc Statistics <i>(need Soc 105 and 312)</i>	Term Passed_____
SOC 232 Soc Research	Term Passed_____
PSY 215 Applied Statistics <i>(need PSY 101, 102, 10299, 103, or 203)</i>	Term Passed_____
MATH 173 Intro to Probability & Statistics	Term Passed_____
MATH 177 Biostatistics <i>(for BMED students)</i>	
MATH 209 Elements of Calc and Statistics <i>(need Math 205)</i>	
ECON 20150 Principles of Statistics <i>(need 10350 and 10250, or 19150)</i>	Term Passed_____
CE 26400 Civil Engineering Data Analysis	Term Passed_____

*Substitutions for any of the courses in these categories may be made with permission of the Director of the Public Policy Minor